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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination of the above-referenced patent application, Applicants request entry of the following new claims 23-64.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please add the following new claims 23-64.

23. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 20, wherein the nucleic acid comprises a vector.

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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INDEP. CLAIMS	6 -	6 =	0	x \$39.00	\$0.00
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